IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.M.JOSEPH

WEDNESDAY, THE 18TH JULY 2007 / 27TH ASHADHA 1929

WP(C).No. 22035 of 2007(W)

PETITIONER:

JOSEPH THOMAS (INSPECTOR, K.S.R.T.C.,
THIRUVALLA DEPOT, RTD. ON 30-04-2007),
PUTHEN PURAYIL HOUSE, PANDY P.O., ALAPPUZHA.

BY ADV. SRI.K.P.RAJEEVAN

RESPONDENT:

KERALA STATE ROAD TRANSPORT CORPORATION,
REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR,
TRANSPORT BHAVAN, FORT, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM.

BY ADV. SHRI JOHNSON P. JOHN, SC, KSRTC.

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 18/07/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

K. M. JOSEPH, J.

W.P.C. NO. 22035 OF 2007 W

Dated this the 18th July, 2007

JUDGMENT

Prayer in the Writ Petition is to dispose of Ext.P3 Appeal and to disburse Provident Fund with interest and Staff Welfare Fund. Heard the learned standing counsel appearing for the respondent Corporation also. The Writ Petition is disposed of as follows:

There will be a direction to the first respondent to disburse the entire amount due to the petitioner as Provident Fund with statutory interest from the due date till the date of payment and the Staff Welfare Fund amount due to the petitioner within a period of ten weeks from the date of production of a copy of this Judgment. There will be a further direction to the first respondent to take up Ext.P3 Appeal and dispose of the same in accordance with law, after affording an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, within a period of three months from the date of production of a copy of this Judgment, if the Appeal had been preferred in time.

K. M. JOSEPH, JUDGE

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